## <u>Chapter 6 "The On Demand Business Value Proposition" Quiz</u>

- 1. Growth can only be achieved through:
  - a. Differentiation and competitive advantage
  - b. Cost reduction and differentiation
  - c. Competitive advantage and productivity gains
  - d. Productivity gains and differentiation
- 2. Which one of these statements is true:
  - a. Companies don't try to match expenses to revenues.
  - b. On Demand Business makes the transition from continuous improvement to continuous innovation.
  - c. In On Demand Business, partners are never added or deleted on a global basis, as demand changes, and with minimal costs or risk to business continuity.
  - d. On Demand Business only has the power to improve efficiency.
- 3. What can happen if a company is late to a new market or with a new product?

Lost market share Substantial competitive advantage Inability to set standards

- 4. Companies that have a high level of On Demand Business maturity have:
  - a. High level of pay, high employee turnover, revenue-per-employee that is lower than the industry average
  - b. High employee turnover, high level of pay, revenue-per-employee that is higher than the industry average
  - c. Revenue-per-employee that is higher than the industry average, low level of pay, low employee turnover
  - d. Low employee turnover, high level of pay, revenue-per-employee that is higher than the industry average
- 5. True/False

Business contingency is both a threat and an opportunity for companies.

True/False (They outsource non-differentiating components of their businesses. This
allows them to focus their human capital on true value adding activities.)
 On demand companies do not look towards outsourcing any component of their
business.